

AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE
UNDER 37 CFR 1.312
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 2155

Remarks

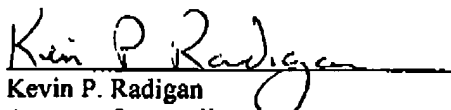
Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.312, entrance of this amendment is respectfully requested. Upon entrance of this amendment, allowed claims 1-10 (as renumbered in the Notice of Allowability) will remain pending in this application.

The amendment presented herewith does not require any substantial work on the part of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. No additional search or examination of the claims is required or needs to be performed. Further, the scope of the allowed method claims 1-10 (as renumbered in the Notice of Allowability) is not changed by the amendment presented herewith. By this amendment, the system and article of manufacture claims 11-29 (as renumbered) are canceled without prejudice to the re-filing thereof in a separate continuation application. This amendment is submitted to place all method claims in one patent, and move the other classes of statutory subject matter to a continuation application. Applicants respectfully reserve the right to pursue canceled claims 11-29 (as renumbered) in one or more continuations.

In view of the foregoing comments, Applicants respectfully request that the above-described amendment be entered and that the application be issued. The Fee(s) payment will be submitted separately.

Should the Examiner wish to have a telephone conference regarding this amendment, the Examiner is invited to telephone Applicant's undersigned representative at the number provided.

Respectfully submitted,


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